

Application No. 10/606,114  
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**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

**In the written description:**

Please amend the paragraph in the present specification at page 1, lines 4-12 as follows:

This application is a continuation of ~~co-pending~~ Application No. 09/367,105, filed on November 10, 1999, now abandoned, and for which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120. Application No. 09/367,105 is the national phase of PCT International Application No. PCT/IE98/00010 filed on February 11, 1998, under 35 U.S.C. § 371. The entire contents of each of the above-identified applications are hereby incorporated by reference. This application also claims priority of International Application No. PCT/IE97/00007 filed on February 11, 1997, under 35 U.S.C. § 119.